

WELCOME

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- Welcome and Thanks to:
 - The volunteers
 - The volunteered
 - The coerced
- Contribute and enjoy the day
- Seize the opportunity ahead

MY YEAR OBJECTIVES

- Have fun, all volunteers, let's not be too serious
- Build stronger clubs, less members leaving
- Find more members via increased community engagement
- Friends of Rotary / Rotary networks
- More flexible clubs, satellite clubs
- Strengthen Rotaract and youth engagement
- Make a difference!!



OBJECTIVES TODAY

- Learn about your roles
- Appreciate how your roles interrelate
- Understand the support you have
- Generate ideas, enhance your planning



IAN RISELEY VIDEO



IAN RISELEY'S FOCUSES FOR AUSTRALIA

- Plant a tree for every Rotarian
- End Trachoma by 2020
- President's Citation
- Reporting service hours and service dollars (including 'in kind')
- 2018 Presidential Peace Building Conference



A BENEFIT OF ROTARY (THERE ARE MANY)

Personal development:

- Provide training, today is an example
- Ability to gain experience in a safe environment
- Develop leadership, run projects
- Club and District roles
- Value proposition to new and younger members



REMEMBER

In all that we do:

- We may change how we operate
- We don't change who we are
- We don't change our ethics and core values
- The 4 Way Test stands as do the Objects of Rotary

